

PHYSICAL THERAPY BOARD OF CALIFORNIA

Consumer Protection Services Program

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September 9, 2003

Garrett Story, P.T. 9291 Abert Ct Elk Grove CA 95758

License No. PT 24107

CITATION

Information obtained by the Physical Therapy Board of California has revealed actions taken by you which violate sections of the law regulating the practice of physical therapy. A Citation is hereby issued to you in accordance with Section 125.9 of the Business and Professions Code for the violations described below.

FIRST CAUSE FOR CITATION

The information obtained confirmed that you practiced physical therapy without a valid California license during the period on or about June 30, 2002 through June 23, 2003 at The Physical Therapy Clinics, Inc. and was compensated for said services. On July 3, 2003, a letter was mailed to you notifying you that your expired license had come to the attention of the PTBC, Consumer Protection Services (CPS). The admission of your negligence in your letter dated August 4, 2003 and the letter received from your employer from August 13, 2003, confirmed that you were performing physical therapy from June 30, 2002 through June 23, 2003 without a valid license.

Based on these facts, you were in violation of:

1. Section 2630 of the B&P

It is unlawful for any person or persons to practice or offer to practice, physical therapy in this state for compensation received or expected, or to hold himself or herself out as a physical therapist, unless at the time of so doing the person holds a valid, unexpired, and unrevoked license issued under this chapter.

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ORDER

Further, **you are ordered to pay a fine of \$1000..00** to the Physical Therapy Board of California within 30 days after receipt of this Citation.

If you wish to contest all or any part of this Citation, complete the enclosed "Notice of Appeal -Request for Informal Conference" form and return it to this office within 10 days after receipt of this Citation. The date indicated on the order of abatement will be held in abeyance <u>only</u> for any violation(s) you wish to contest. The time to correct all uncontested violations will be adhered to as specified. In the alternative, you may, within 30 days after receipt of this Citation, request a <u>formal</u> administrative hearing before an administrative law judge under the Administrative Procedure Act.

FAILURE TO RETURN THE REQUEST FOR INFORMAL CONFERENCE FORM OR TO REQUEST AN ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING WITHIN THE TIMES INDICATED WILL WAIVE YOUR RIGHT TO ADMINISTRATIVELY CONTEST OR APPEAL THIS CITATION.

Administrative Fine

\$1000.00

FOR YOUR PROTECTION AND TO ASSURE PROPER CREDIT,
PLEASE RETURN THE COPY OF THE CITATION
AND NOTE THE CITATION NUMBER ON YOUR CHECK
OR MONEY ORDER.

September 9, 2003	
Date	
	Original Signed By:
	STEVEN K. HARTZELI
	Executive Officer

Citation Against: Garrett Story, P.T.



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ORDER OF ABATEMENT

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Citation No. 03-04-0046

Item No. 1
Violations: Business and Professions Code Section <u>2630</u> .
Description:
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Order of Correction

You are hereby ordered to abate this violation immediately and to cease and desist from further violation.

Failure to comply with the provisions of this Citation and Order of Abatement within 30 days of receipt may result in further legal action.